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For: SEALING DEVICE AND PROCESS FOR
MANUFACTURING THE SAME

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Official Letter mailed May 27, 2003, kindly enter the following remarks in the above-captioned application.